

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	JUMA
Title	FILTER DEVICE FOR MOLTEN STEEL FILTRATION
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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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In response to the Office Action mailed 11 October 2007, Applicant requests early and favorable action on pending claims 12-26.

Please amend claims 12 and 22 as indicated on the accompanying claim listing. Please cancel claims 27 and 28 as indicated on the accompanying claim listing. Support for the amendments to claims 12 and 22 is found in paragraphs [0038] and [0039] in the specification.